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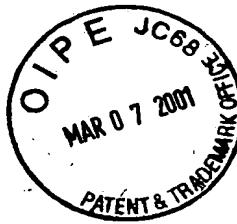
In re Patent Application of

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For: TREATMENT OF HEMATOLOGIC
MALIGNANCIES ASSOCIATED WITH
CIRCULATING TUMOR CELLS USING
CHIMERIC ANTI-CD20 ANTIBODY



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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated February 29, 2000, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 4, line 16, delete "primatized®" and insert therefor --PRIMATIZED®--.

Page 5, lines 4 and 12, delete "primatized®" and insert therefor --PRIMATIZED®--.

Page 6, line 13, after "20852", insert -, now located at 10801 University Boulevard,

Manassas, Virginia 20110-2209 (ATCC 69119)-.

Page 9, lines 14 and 17, replace all instances of "10³" with --10⁹--.

Page 9, line 15, delete "37-24.6", and insert therefor --3.7-24.6--.

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